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OUR LOCAL MARKETS.

Following are the prices paid by our merchants and dealers for the products named:

Butter	12@15
Eggs	08
Potatoes new	25@30
Beans	85
Onions	35
Poultry	.05, spring chickens
Fat cattle on foot	2-24
Hogs	alive 3, dressed 4

Additional Local.

Mrs. C. G. Hagerman is quite seriously ill.

The game advertised to take place last Thursday, between the Suckers and the Brownies, was postponed until Tuesday, when the ground was so wet the game had to be again postponed until Saturday.

New Suits.

Elisha Ampey vs. Merl I. Ampey; divorce. Dorgan & Dorgan.
People vs. Leon Fellows, Floy Rimes and Clarence Young; violation of local option law. L. H. Titus.

Marriage Licenses.

Alanson E. Hunt, 25; Mayme Rockwell, 18, both of Lawrence.
Luman A. Townsend, 21; May Hackstaff, 20, both of South Haven.
Myron W. Cobb, 45; Marion, O.; Ida May Hudson, 35, Paw Paw.
Frank R. Chaffee, 45; Della May Miller, 17, both of Antwerp.

Buckingham's Dye for the whiskers is the best, safest, surest, cleanest, most economical and satisfactory dye ever invented. It is the gentlemen's favorite.

Probate Court Proceedings.

Follow is a synopsis of the proceedings in Judge Heckert's court for the week ending July 28:

Estate of John Vogan, deceased; claims heard and allowed.
Estate of Stephen McNitt, deceased; A. H. Tuttle appointed administrator.
Estate of Harriet Bonebright, deceased; Geo. M. Harrison appointed administrator.
Estate of James M. Gray, deceased; final account; hearing Aug. 24.

Two Lives Saved.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors that she had Consumption and there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her and she says it saved her life. Mr. Thos. Eggers, 139 Florida St., San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried without result everything else then bought one bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and in two weeks was cured. He is naturally thankful. It is such results, of which these are samples, that prove the wonderful efficacy of this medicine in Coughs and Colds. Free trial bottles at Longwell Bro's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00.

Scotch Farm Laborers.

During the last 10 or 12 years we have witnessed in Scotland an enormous decrease in the number of "hands" employed in agricultural work. In 1871 there were in Scotland 165,096 farm servants, in 1881 there were 149,765 and in 1891 only 120,770. Doubtless more than one cause has contributed to this result, but in the main it must be traced back to two great central facts. (1) During the last 20 years large tracts of arable land have gone out of cultivation. (2) During the same period there has taken place an enormous displacement of hand labor by machinery. Take the effect of but one single invention. During the past few seasons self binding reapers have rapidly sprung into popularity.

According to The Agricultural Economist, reaping and tying corn by manual labor used to cost from 8s. to 10s. per acre, but with the new machines it costs only from 1s. 6d. to 2s. 6d. per acre. In other words, some 20 or 30 youths can now perform the work that formerly required 50 able bodied men and an equal number of young lads and lasses. This is but one example out of many. True it is, a limited number of those crowded out peasants may, and doubtless do, find employment at some of the various kinds of unskilled labor, even in a comparatively overstocked city market. Nevertheless, the inevitable result of all this must be the intensification of the unemployed problem in town and country alike.—Westminster Review.

Tired people are tired because they have exhausted their strength. The only way for them to get strong is to eat proper food.

But eating is not all. Strength comes from food, after digestion. Digestion is made easy with Shaker Digestive Cordial.

People who get tired, die. Life is strength. Food is maker of strength. Food is not food until it is digested. Tired, pale, thin, exhausted, sick sufferers from indigestion, can be cured by the use of the Shaker Digestive Cordial. It will revive their spent energies, refresh and invigorate them, create new courage, endurance and strength, all by helping their stomach to digest their food.

It aids nature, and that is the best of it. It gives immediate relief and with perseverance permanently cures. At druggists. Trial bottle 1c.

Vital Statistics.

The following items are gathered from the reports of the several supervisors, so far as filed:

SOUTH HAVEN.

Births, 13; males 11, females 12; one black; one pair of twins.
Deaths, 33; males 20, females 13, 12 of the deceased were over 60 years of age, viz: Mrs. A. W. Brown 63, Genevieve F. Barstow 63, Henry F. Shenk 63, Mrs. Joel Harrison 64, D. A. Randall 66, Wm. F. Vance 69, Sam'l Beecher 71, Johanna MacLure 71, A. F. Gillett 73, Isaac Hanks 77, Sarah Dawson 84, Wm. Leslie 84. Three accidental deaths were reported: Walter W. Kemp burned, Albert Jacobs drowned, O. H. Kimball, cause not reported.

PINE GROVE.

Births, 20; males 10, females 10; all white.
Deaths, 17; males 11, females 6. Six of the deceased persons were over 60 years of age, to-wit: Justin Day 67, Louisa M. Goble 69, Sam'l Beecher 74, Mark F. Smith 75, Edward Leonard 78, Samuel Whelpley 78. One suicide reported, Chas. A. Myers, aged 49 years.

ANTWERP.

Births, 16; males 9, females 7; 1 mulatto, 15 white. The principal peculiarity noticeable about this report is the fact (if it be a fact) that there were but two births in the village of Lawton during the year.
Deaths, 12; males 6, females 6; only one of the deceased was over 60 years of age, viz: Rosannah Wilcox, 62.
The total number of births reported in the entire county for the year 1895 is 430, of which 237 were males and 193 were females.

The total number of deaths reported for the same period of time was 318, of which 168 were males and 150 females. The causes of death were as follows:

Apoplexy	4
Accidental	17
Aneurism	1
Bright's disease	7
Brain fever	2
Blood poison	1
Bowel complaint	1
Cerebro spinal meningitis	2
Consumption	41
Cholera infantum	13
Cancer	16
Congestion of lungs	2
Congestion of brain	2
Croup	1
Child birth	4
Chronic debility	2
Consumption of bowels	1
Dysentery	3
Diphtheria	7
Diarrhoea	1
Dropsy	8
Epilepsy	1
Erysipelas	1
Gangrene	2
Heart failure	11
Heart disease	18
Hemorrhage	2
Hernia	1
Inflammation of stomach	1
Insanity	1
Inflammation of bowels	1
Inflammation of brain	1
Inflammation of bladder	1
Kidney disease	2
La grippe	9
Liver complaint	1
Malarial fever	1
Neuralgia	1
Old age	20
Paralysis	20
Pneumonia	31
Poison	1
Pleurisy	1
Rheumatism	1
Stricture	4
Suicide	3
Softening of brain	2
Spinal disease	3
Still born	1
Typhoid fever	8
Tumor	5
Unknown	25
Weakness at birth	1

Total.....318

The ages at which death occurred were as follows:

Under one year	39
From one to five	19
" five to ten	7
" ten to twenty	15
" twenty to thirty	27
" thirty to forty	17
" forty to fifty	18
" fifty to sixty	31
" sixty to seventy	61
" seventy to eighty	48
" eighty to ninety	31
Above the age of ninety	2
Unknown	3

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Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contains Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. CHENEY & CO. Testimonials free.

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Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate were recorded in the register's office during the past week:

James Selkirk to S G Peckham; w h lots 7, 8 block 24 D H & Co's add South Haven; \$210.
Edwin Murray to A W Benson; und b e h lot 2 blk 1 South Haven; \$1200.
C J Monroe to G C Monroe; und 2532 2 Covert; \$5500.
Emma L Parkhurst to Roxey Cole; lot 33 P & D 2d add Decatur; \$25.
Alex McWilliams to Roxana Cole; lot 31 P & D 2d add Decatur; \$20.
Olive A Toof to C J Toof, Frances A Toof and Marvin D Toof; lands see 33 Decatur; \$1.
Olive A Toof to S G Toof; lot 15 blk 1 Champion's add Decatur; \$1.
W H Jones to Stephen Jones; und b e 59 a n d h n e f t q 2 Decatur; \$150.
A B Chase to Nancy M Pallette; w h s w q n e q 9 Columbia; \$500.
John Griswold to Mina M Griswold; lots 1, 4 blk 30 Paw Paw; \$500.

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Read what others say and call on us for anything in the foundry line. All work warranted.

SNOW BROS. PAW PAW, MICH.—The furnace which you placed in my house, I used with perfect satisfaction during the past winter. It warms the whole house evenly and is economical in the use of fuel. Not for anything would I go back to using stoves again. Yours truly, ELMER W. HALL.

A. L. LAKEY & CO'S PAINTS.

"KEEPING EVERLASTINGLY AT IT BRINGS SUCCESS."

We are at it again this year, as we have been for several years past, selling the celebrated

A. L. Lakey & Co's Paints,

Which are absolutely the best mixed paints on the market. Guaranteed absolutely pure. We will forfeit \$50 to any chemist who can find any adulteration in them. Will cover more surface than other paints, wear longer and look better. The best advertisement of these paints is the commendation of those who have used them. See us before buying, and we are sure you will buy Lakey's.

H. C. Waters & Co., sole agents for Lakey's Paints in Paw Paw.

One Week More.

At the urgent request of many customers we have extended the time of this sale one week from the date of this paper, making the last day of sale Wednesday, Aug. 5th.

We print only a few prices on Dry Goods this week. We will sell anything we have left at the prices already made. Of course some things are closed out and there will be no more of them, but we still have a big stock of the best bargains. Every article in the store is marked with a new price.

Dresden Silks for waists worth 75 cents now 38 cents
Best Black Pure Silk Satin Duchess for Skirts and Dresses, the \$1 quality, for this sale 70 cents.
Women's all wool Scarlet Underwear, the \$1 quality, now 75 cents.
Men's all wool Scarlet Shirts or Drawers, the \$1 kind, for this sale 75 cents.

Fifty-cent lace curtains now 38 cents a pair. \$1.00 lace curtains now 50 cents a pair. \$1.25 lace curtains now 65 cents a pair. \$1.50 lace curtains now 75 cents a pair. \$2.00 lace curtains now \$1.00. Great reduction on all

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SHOES.

As long as they last we will sell our shoes at the following prices. Don't wait until the last minute and expect to find an unbroken stock. Whoever comes first with the cash gets the bargains:

Women's Serge Buskins	35cts
Women's Carpet Slippers	23cts
Men's Carpet Slippers	27cts
Boys' Congress Shoes, 3's, 4's and 5's	\$1.15
Men's Heavy \$1.25 Work Shoes, now	1.00
Men's Heavy \$1.50 Work Shoes, now	1.20
Men's Heavy \$1.75 Work shoes now	1.25
Men's Fine Shoes worth \$1.75, now	1.25
Men's \$2.00 Fine Shoes, now	1.50
Men's \$2.50 Fine Shoes, now	1.60
Men's \$1.25 Canvas Shoes, now	80cts
Boy's \$1.00 Canvas Shoes, now	73cts
Men's Bicycle Shoes worth \$1.50, now	\$1.00
Men's \$3.00 Fine Shoes, now	1.25
Men's \$4.00 Fine Shoes, now	2.75
Women's \$1.50 Fine Shoes, now	1.00
Women's Best \$2.00 Shoes, now	1.50
Women's good, solid \$1.75 Shoes, now	1.15
Women's Tan Walking Shoes, a few pair at	60cts
Women's \$1.00 Low Shoes, now	75cts
Women's \$1.50 Low Shoes, now	\$1.15
Women's very best \$3.00 Shoes, now	2.25
Children's \$1.00 Shoes, now	75cts
Children's 50 cent Shoes, now	35cts
Infant's 25 cent Shoes, now	20cts

SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

Good Jersey Vests, now 4 cents; 10 cent Jersey Vests now 6 cents; all the 15 cent vests now 10 cents; all the 25 vests now 19 cents; all the 25 cent drawers now 19 cents; 75 cent union suits like cut, now 38 cents; Men's Balbrigan, 50 cent shirts and drawers now 38 cents.